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The Company maintains its operating office at Keetley, Utah, and its executive office in Salt Lake City, Utah.

Recently Mr. Cranmer married Helen Worden Erskine of New York City. The present Mrs. Cranmer writes a syndicated column for 127 newspapers under the name of "Dorothy Dix."

Mr. Cranmer is a member of the Independent Petroleum Association; American Institute of Mining Engineers; the Utah Mining Association; Cranmer is a Mason (K.T., 32° Shriner), and is active in the Bonneville Kiwanis Club of Salt Lake City (former President of the Park City Kiwanis Club); Cranmer is a member of the Alta Club of Salt Lake City, Utah; the Yale Club of New York City; and maintains his home at 3607 Canyon Way, Salt Lake City, Utah.